GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH ABSTRACT

P.S. – PR&RD Department - Sri K. Gowripathi, the then Divisional Panchayat Officer, East Godavari District and now Gazetted Instructor (under suspension), VDOs Trainining Centre, Bapatla – Departmental Proceedings under Rule 20 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991 – Article of Charges framed – Orders - Issued.

PANCHAYAT RAJ & RURAL DEVELOPMENT (VIG.IV) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 1136 Dated:26-07-2008.

ORDER:

It is proposed to hold an enquiry against Sri K. Gowripathi, the then Divisional Panchayat Officer, East Godavari District and now Gazetted Instructor (under suspension), VDOs Training Centre, Bapatla, in accordance with the procedure laid down in Rule 20 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991.

- 2. The substance of the imputations of misconduct or misbehavior in respect of which the enquiry is proposed to be held is set out in the enclosed statement of article of charges (Annexure-I). A list of documents by which, and a list of witnesses by whom, the article of charges are proposed to be sustained are also enclosed (Annexures –II & III).
- 3. Sri K. Gowripathi, the then Divisional Panchayat Officer, East Godavari District and now Gazetted Instructor (under suspension), VDOs Trainining Centre, Bapatla is directed to submit a written statement of his defence within 10 days of receipt this order and state whether he desires to be heard in person.
- **4.** Sri K. Gowripathi, the then Divisional Panchayat Officer, East Godavari District and now Gazetted Instructor (under suspension), VDOs Trainining Centre, Bapatla is informed that an enquiry will be held only in respect of those article of charges which are not admitted. He should, therefore, specifically admit or deny each article of charge.
- **5.** Sri K. Gowripathi, the then Divisional Panchayat Officer, East Godavari District and now Gazetted Instructor (under suspension), VDOs Trainining Centre, Bapatla further informed that if he does not submit his written statement of defence on or before the date specified in Para-3 above, further action will be processed based on the material available.
- 6. Sri K. Gowripathi, the then Divisional Panchayat Officer, East Godavari District and now Gazetted Instructor (under suspension), VDOs Training Centre, Bapatla is invited to Rule 24 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964 under which no Government servant shall bring or attempt to bring if any political or outside influence to bear upon any superior authority to further his interest in respect of matters pertaining to his service under the Government. If any representation is received on his behalf from another person in respect of any matter dealt within these proceedings, it will be presumed that Sri K. Gowripathi, the then Divisional Panchayat Officer, East Godavari District and now Gazetted Instructor (under suspension), VDOs Training Centre, Bapatla is aware of such a representation and that it has been made at his instance and action will be taken against him for violation of Rule 24 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964.

(P.T.O.)

7. The receipt of the Memorandum shall be acknowledged.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

CHITRA RAMCHANDRAN SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

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Sri K. Gowripathi, the then Divisional Panchayat Officer, East Godavari District and now Gazetted Instructor (under suspension), VDOs Training Centre, Bapatla, through the Commissioner of Panchayat Raj & Rural Employment, Hyderabad.

The Commissioner of Panchayat Raj & Rural Employment, Hyderabad, with a request to serve the charge memo to the individual and obtain dated acknowledgement and furnish the same to Government.

General Administration (Vigilance & Enforcement) Department. Secretary to Andhra Pradesh Vigilance Commission, Hyderabad. Sf/Sc.

//FORWARDED BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER